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Pursuant to Rule 53, the above-identified application, enclosed herewith (including specification and claims), is being filed without a signed declaration or assignment in the names of the inventors, Wojciech K. Slusarek, Xiqiang Yang, Mark E. Irving, David H. Levy, Jared B. Mooberry, James J. Seifert, James H. Reynolds, Lyn M. Irving. The declaration and assignment will be filed later. Pursuant to Rule 53, please accord the application filing date as the date of deposit in the U.S. Express Mail, namely December 30, 1999.

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